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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5   **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR USING DYNAMIC GROUPING DATA TO
GROUP ATTRIBUTES RELATING TO COMPUTER SYSTEMS**

A method, apparatus, and computer implemented
10   instructions for grouping based on attributes in a data
processing system. Messages are sent indicating an
availability of a set of attributes relating to data
processing systems in which the attributes are used to
create. A request is received from a requestor to
15   generate a group using selected attributes from the set
of attributes. A group is generated based on the
selected attributes. The group is returned to the
requestor.